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Singer,

Really, I knew you wouldn't take Nick at the queen contest. Besides, I wouldn't have let you! That was really a fun, but hectic day, wasn't it? And the time we went to Beardstown to have our pictures taken? Coming hair? Eye make-up? The whole business.

Remember when we went bowling with Connie Gregory. We tried to beat Susan and ended up at 100 mph. Your face was really white. Enough to scare anybody, though.

Keep the happy face. It's one of your greatest assets.

Linda

Astoria, Illinois

Co-editors  
Sally Brubeck  
Kathy Sebree

# **Astoria High School**






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**DEDICATION**



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THE CURLESS FAMILY  
Seated: Jan, Doris, Joe, Harley Joe; Standing: Linda, Debbie

## Doris "Babs" Curless

To you, Babs Curless, we dedicate this issue of the annual.

We believe this is an honor which you deserve because, after devoting a number of years to your home and family, you returned to Astoria High School to complete your education and qualify for a diploma.

During the past four years you have been a willing and cooperative student and at the same time faithfully fulfilled your duties to your family.





Seated: Jack Hamm; Forrest Beaird, Sec.; William Stephens, President; Ralph Miller; Standing: Edwin Miller; Roy Depperman; Orlen Poppenhager.

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## **SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE**

The most important capital that any economy possesses is in the skills which people carry around in their heads. Few investments are more rewarding than education. Everybody should be given a chance to do his best, not only in school but all through life. Few of us know what our best is, and we will not find out by reading what somebody has written on our diplomas, because the reality is what we ourselves have written on our minds.



**FACULTY**



Robert Lowe  
Vocational  
Agriculture

Father & Son  
Commercial Subjects  
Latin I and II



Ronald Madden  
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Basketball  
Football  
Coach



Flora Marx  
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Calculus  
Spanish I and II

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Girl's Chorus



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Business Law  
Economics  
General Business

Wilbur Carlton  
Band



W. J. W. W. W.

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# In Memoriam



Marcia Fairburn

March 16, 1949 - July 16, 1965

The Annual Staff dedicates this page to a former fellow-worker, Marcia Fairburn.

Despite her illness, Marcia kept her lessons well-prepared and worked hard in the completion of the annual. She served with us for two years.



**SENIORS**



Sally Jo Brubeck  
daughter of Paul C. and Betty (Jones)  
Brubeck

'A good scholar with high ambition,  
It's certain she'll gain a good  
position.

Band 1,2,3,4; Stage Band 1,2,3,4; All  
County Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2; Band  
Librarian 1,2; Majorette 1,2,3,4; G.A.  
A. 1,2,3,4 Treasurer 2; Student  
Council 1,2,3; Cheerleader 1,2; Home-  
coming Queen Attendant 2; Class Play  
3,4; Librarian 1,2,3; Chorus 3,4;  
Annual Staff 1,2,3,4 Assistant Editor  
3; Co-Editor 4; Newspaper Staff 1



Kathi Lynn Stephens  
daughter of Paul L. and Kathryn L.  
Stephens

She suffers as school keeps running  
on

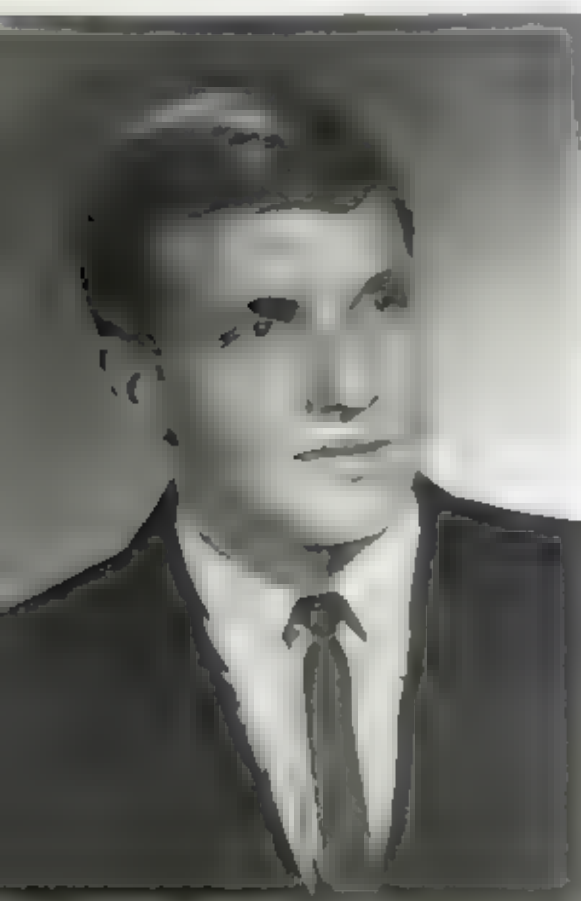
Because a girl can think of as soon.  
G.A.A. 2,3,4; Band 2; Cheerleader  
3,4; National Honor Society 3,4;  
Librarian 2,3; Annual Staff 4;  
Editor 4; Newspaper Staff 2,3,4;  
2,3 Junior Class Play



Marcia Ann Stephens  
daughter of William and Ethel Mae  
(Waggoner) Stephens

You must of been a beautiful baby,  
'Cause baby you're beautiful now.

Band 1,2,3,4; Vice President 4; Stage  
Band 2,3,4; Band Librarian 1,2; All  
County Band 3,4; Majorette 1,2,3,4;  
Pep Band 1,2; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Student  
Council 1,3; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4;  
Chorus 3; Class Play 3,4; Annual Staff  
4; Assistant Editor 4; Newspaper Staff  
1,2; National Honor Society 3,4;  
Secretary 4; Class president 4



Phillip Gene Poppenhager  
son of Orlen and Vilda (Gibson)  
Poppenhager

'A lover Phil may be,  
But a football player we can't see.

Football 1,2,3,4 Captain 4; Bas-  
ketball 1,2; Track 2,3,4; Letter-  
men's Club 2,3,4 + resident 4; Student  
Council 1,2,3,4 Vice President 4;  
Class Play 3,4; Annual Staff 3,4;  
Newspaper Staff 1



Roy Lee Farris, Jr.  
son of Roy Lee and Beatrice (Davis)  
Farris

His favorite color was always red,  
That he loved to see.

Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4  
Captain 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Letter-  
men's Club 2,3,4; Treasurer 3; Student  
Council 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play  
3,4; National Honor Society 3,4;  
President 4



Robert Lyle Bucher  
son of Isaac and Fernie (Kessler)  
Bucher

'South America needs great men,  
So I guess I better go there then.

Class President 1,2; Vice President 3;  
Student Council 3; F.I.V.I. Junior  
President 1; Librarian 2; Football 1,  
2,3,4; Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; Class  
Play 3,4; Annual Staff 4





Diana Lynn Burton  
James A. and Reba  
Burton

Could it be that this is  
sent to me from heaven?  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Secretary 2; Vice  
President 3; President 4; F.H.A. 1;  
Newspaper Staff 2; All County Band  
3; Stage Band 2,3; Band 1,2,3,4; Stu-  
dent Council 1,2,3,4;  
President 4; National Honor  
1,4; Vice President 4; Cheerleader  
Class Secretary 2,3,4; Class Play



Johnny Ben Gorski  
son of Leonard J. and

She saved  
Librarian 3; National Honor Society  
1,4; Treasurer 4; Class Play



Carol Joy Gift  
daughter of Joseph and Dorothy (Engel)  
Gift

Happy am I, from care I am free,  
Why isn't everyone contented like  
me?  
Student Council 2,3,4; Treasurer 4;  
Band 1,2,3,4; Junior Advisor 3; Presi-  
dent 4; Student Conductor 4; District  
All-State 3; All County Band 4; Stage  
Band 3,4; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; National  
Honor 1,4;  
Annual Staff 4; Newspaper  
Class Play 3,4



Ronnie Lee Parr  
son of Floyd (Deceased) and Mabel  
Parr

At first you think he's very quiet  
But upon knowing him, he's quite a  
riot.  
Football manager 1,2; Basketball 1,  
3; Track 1,2,4; Letterman's Club 2,  
3,4; Vice President 4; Class Play 3



Edith Ann Hopping  
daughter of Howard and Ruth

She saved  
Librarian 3; National Honor Society  
1,4; Treasurer 4; Class Play



Edwin Dale Basley  
son of Frank J. Basley and Hettie  
(Walton) Basley, deceased

Snow, sleet, or sunshine  
Nothing keeps me out of that car of  
mine.  
Letterman's Club 2,3,4, Sec.- Treas-  
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball  
Track 1,2,3; Junior Class Play



Rebecca Sue Davis  
daughter of Cecil R. and Rose Lee  
(Danner) Davis  
'If words were music,  
I'd be a brass band.  
Class Treasurer 4, Secretary 1; F.H.A.  
1,2,3,4, Secretary 3; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4;  
Class Play 3,4; Student Council 4;  
Band 1,2, Pep Band 1,2; Chorus 1,4



Max Devere Stambaugh  
son of Wayne and Opal (Hopping)  
Stambaugh  
'Summum est: What I are.  
Football 1,4, Track 2; Lettermen's  
Club 2,3,4



Susan Jane Poppenhager  
daughter of John and Lucille  
(Gillenwater) Poppenhager  
'Many a boy she will lure,  
That's what we all think of her'  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Chair-  
man 3; Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,  
Drum Majorette 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3,4,  
All County Band 3,4; Class Play 3,4,  
Student Council 3; Newspaper Staff 1,2



Douglas Allen Shaw  
son of Herbert S. Shaw and Marion  
(Groff) Shaw (deceased)  
'He's small but packed with brawn  
and might,  
He never did run from a fight.'  
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; Football 1,2,  
4; Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4



Linda Jo Rawley  
daughter of Robert Rawley (deceased)  
and Joan (Hamm) Rawley Gahr  
'I want what I want when I want it,  
When I get what I want I don't want it.'  
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Band 1;  
Newspaper Staff 1,2; Class Play 3,4  
Student Director 3, State Manager 4



Max Workman  
son of Samuel and Ruby (Hulvey)  
Workman  
'Once a job you have begun,  
Never leave it until it's done.'  
Football 1; Track 3; F.F.A. 1; Class  
Play 3,4





Stephen Lester Skiles  
son of Lester and Muriel (Davis)  
Skiles  
Just being happy is an excellent  
thing to do.  
Looking on the bright side, rather  
than the blue."  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Report 3, Presi-  
dent 4; Class Play 4



Connie Sue Parr  
1 son of Floyd and  
Always finding time  
Band 1; Annual 2,3,4



Steven Randall Richardson  
son of Calvin and Aada (Flowers)  
Richardson  
'Don't mind the things I say,  
They all come out of my head'.  
F.F.A. 1; Football 3,4; Class Play 4



Norma Janeane Merrill  
daughter of Roy and Nina (Hendricks)  
Merrill  
"Life is sweet, Life is c  
Nothing to me is ever dreary.  
Band Color Guard 4; Snow Queen  
Candidate 3



Michael Wayne Davis  
son of Whitney and Norma Lee  
Davis  
"I am a boy whom we know will  
succeed.  
Our helper, our worker, a real friend  
Letterman's Club  
2,3,4; Track 3; Class Play 4



Marsha Lynn Scrogum  
daughter of Debbie and Marjorie  
(Klinedinst) Scrogum  
Soft in speech and sweet in smile  
Full of fun all the while  
Band 1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; F.F.A. 4



Charles H. Waggon  
 son of Leo and Darl  
 Work is work and must be  
 But as I work, I have my  
 Football 1, 2, 3, 4; All-  
 cern 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Let-  
 termian 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President  
 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4;  
 4; Cla 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4;  
 Attendant 2

Alvin Carl John  
 son of Ralph and Frances (Deardorff)



Ann Brock  
 daughter of Raymond and Viola  
 Brock

Stage





Donna Sue Derry  
daughter of Floyd and Ila (English)  
Derry  
"To Lewistown she'd like to go,  
We can't quite see her reason though."  
Class Play Usher 3



Kenneth Neal Walters  
son of Russell and Anne (Horte)  
Walters  
"Keeping himself unobserved,  
Remaining quiet and reserved."  
Varsity Football Manager 2,3,4; Varsity  
Basketball Manager 2,3,4; Varsity  
Track Manager 2,3,4; Lettermen's  
Club 2,3,4; Class Play 3,4; Premier  
Boys' State



Rita Catherine Stambaugh  
daughter of Phillip Dayle and  
Catherine (Cooper) Stambaugh  
"Far and wide this girl did roam,  
Until she found a place called  
Macomb."  
Class Play 3; G.A.A. 3,4



Cary Martin Hulett  
son of Martin (deceased) and Ruth  
(Bollinger) Hulett  
"If at first you don't succeed  
Try, try again."  
Track 2; Letterman's Club 2



Janice Marie McCombs  
daughter of Robert E. and Betty  
(Miller) McCombs  
"Her kindly nature is willing to do  
Just whatever you ask her to."  
G.A.A. 1,2,3,4, Sports Chairman 2,  
Vice President 4; Chorus 3; Class  
Play 3,4



Melvin Ray Edmiston  
son of Russell and Alto (McKinley)  
Edmiston  
"He likes to hunt and shoot squirrels,  
But most of all, he likes girls."  
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3, Man-  
ager 4; Track 3; Lettermen's Club  
2,3,4; Student Council 2,3; F.A.  
1,2,3,4; Class Play 3,4



Gary R. Adkins  
son of Carroll Adkins and Gladys H.  
(Miller) Davis  
"Quiet and earnest he goes on his way,  
With never a waste of an hour in a  
day."  
F.F.A. 2,3,4



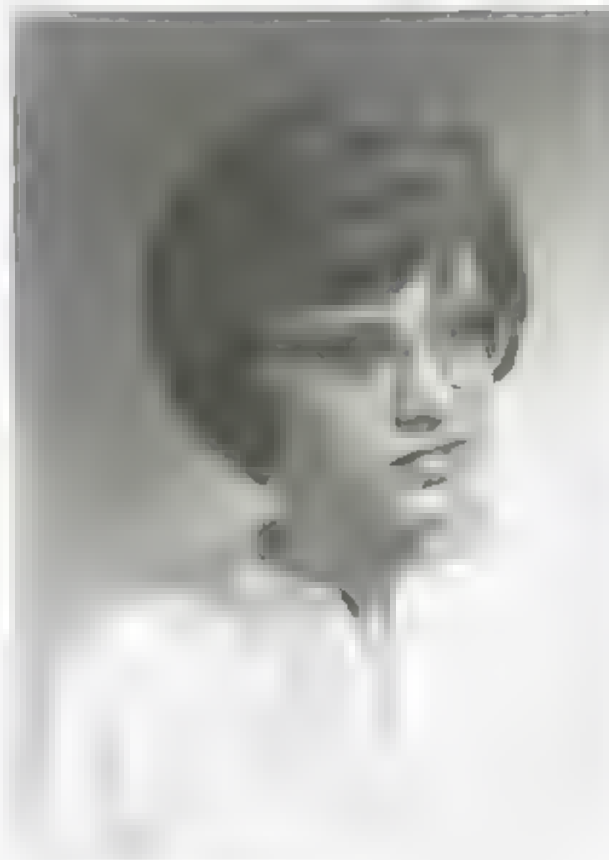
Sandra Marie Grover  
daughter of Ben and Marjorie (Shawgo)  
Grover  
"A little girl not so high,  
A little quiet, a little shy",  
Band Color Guard 4; Librarian 3,4



Garry Franklin Heath  
son of Garry (deceased) and Naomi  
(Brehm) Heath  
Many girls prefer a warm "Heath"  
On a cold night  
Football 1,2,3,4, Track 3, Class Play 3



Carl Cornn  
son of Willard L. and Madeline  
(Aswalt) Cornn  
Carl is noted for his southern drawl,  
We like to hear him say "You All,  
Letterman's Club 3,4, Track 1,2,3,4



Janice Myr Dobson  
daughter of Homer and Genevieve  
Dobson, Ford  
She can cook and clean and mend,  
Every trustworthy friend.



Davle Buche  
son of Allen and Nelda (Kearney)  
Buche  
"To hurry and worry is not my creed,  
What will happen, so what"  
Track 3





Kenneth William Barterton  
son of Cecil W. and Evelyn (Watson)

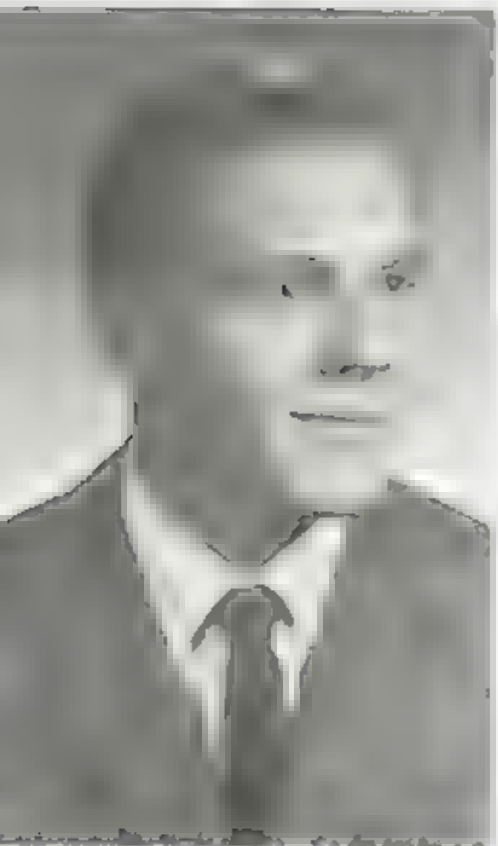
mischievous now and then  
is relished by the best of me.  
Basketball 1,2,3; Track 1,2,3,4  
ball 4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Reporter 4;  
Lettermen's Club 2,3,4; Class Play 3



Dorothy Kay Lucas  
daughter of Theodore and Margaret  
(Abbot) Lucas  
"Dorothy is a studious one;  
She always has her work well done."  
F.H.A. 1,2,3; G.A.A. 4; Chorus 4;  
Class Play



Carroll E. Thompson  
son of Wendell E. and Betty Ann (Shaw)  
Thompson (deceased)  
If you got a car you want to run  
Carroll will do it just for fun."  
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Football 3,4



Dennis Taylor  
son of Lloyd R. and Veneria  
(Guilliams) Taylor (deceased)  
"Always happy and gay am I,  
Work kills men, why die?"  
F.F.A. 1,2



Carol Ann Tippey  
daughter of Albert Willis and Eileen  
(Collins) Tippey  
"They accomplish the most who make  
the least noise"  
Band 1,2,3,4; Chorus 3,4; F.H.A. 1  
3,4; H...  
+, Class



Danny Lee Bollinger  
son of Blaine and Helen (McWhorter)  
Bollinger  
"Rubber ball come bouncing back to  
me,  
he's like a bird when he's fly'n free."



Haskell Stanley Simpson  
son of Haskell S. and Mildred E.  
(Smith) Simpson  
'Stan came here from V.I.T.  
That's how he was saved you see."  
Football 1,2 (V.I.T.)

## Senior Class History

In August, 1962, a group of shy and somewhat frightened Freshmen students entered Astoria High School. After initiation, everyone settled down to their studies. Our class officers were: President, Robert Bucher; Vice-President, Chuck Waggoner; Secretary, Becky Davis; Treasurer, Chris Schlosser. Student Council Representatives were Phil Poppenhager, Marcia Stephens, and Sally Brubeck. Marcia Stephens and Sally Brubeck were chosen to be J. V. Cheerleaders.

In 1963, a slightly diminished group of students entered High School as the Sophomore Class. Our class officers were: President, Robert Bucher; Vice-President, Chuck Waggoner; Secretary, Diana Burton; Treasurer, Chris Schlosser. Student Council Representatives were Phil Poppenhager, Carol Gift, and Sally Brubeck. Marcia Stephens and Sally Brubeck were again chosen to be J.V. Cheerleaders.

The Junior Class Play and the Junior-Senior Prom were constantly discussed during our Junior year. The class play,

"Annie Get Your Gun", was successfully presented under the direction of Miss Nancy Burnett. Our Prom theme was "Cinderella Ball." Our class officers were: President, Chuck Waggoner; Vice-President, Robert Bucher; Secretary, Diana Burton; Treasurer, Roy Parry. Student Council Representatives were Phil Poppenhager, Sally Brubeck, and Carol Gift. Carol Gift, Marcia Stephens, and Kathy Sebree were chosen to be Varsity Cheerleaders.

Now in our final year, we are all looking forward to Graduation. Our class officers are; President, Marcia Stephens; Vice-President, Chuck Waggoner; Secretary, Diana Burton; Treasurer, Becky Davis. Student Council Representatives are Phil Poppenhager, Roy Parry, and Jo in Gorsuch. Carol Gift, Marcia Stephens, Kathy Sebree, and Diana Burton were chosen to be Varsity Cheerleaders. Roy Parry was the only Senior boy who participated in basketball this year. Our class sponsors have been Mrs. Pollitt and Miss Burnett. We wish to say, "Thanks," for a job well done.



# CLASS WILL

- I, Carl Cornn, do will and bequeath my Southern drawl to Terry Royer.
- I, Linda Rawley, do will and bequeath my "Medicare-for-Horses" policy to Sandy Bushnell.
- I, Becky Davis, do will and bequeath my lack of co-ordination to Patty France.
- I, Susan Poppenhager, do will and bequeath my make-up tricks to Penny Hackman.
- I, Eddie Easley, do will and bequeath my nickname "Squirrel" to anyone who gets my football helmet next year.
- I, Carol Joy Gift, do will and bequeath my chewed off fingernails to Ginger Mummert.
- I, Norma Merrill, do will and bequeath my quiet nature to Landa Skiles.
- I, Steve Richardson, do will and bequeath my tall-dark-and handsomeness to Dave Thomas.
- I, Kenny Batterton, do will and bequeath my butch hair-cut to Phyllis Robertson.
- I, Doug Shaw, do will and bequeath my glass jaw to Sandy Rawley.
- I, Max Stambaugh, do will and bequeath my Summun reputation to Jimmy Foutch.
- I, Stanley Simpson, do will and bequeath my loyalty to VIT to my little brother.
- I, Dennis Taylor, do will and bequeath my car to anyone with a repair shop.
- I, Carol Ann Tippey, do will and bequeath my soft voice to Jimmy Dodd.
- I, Carroll Thompson, do will and bequeath my map of the Summun drag-strip to anyone who wants to run their car.
- I, Robert Bucher, do will and bequeath part of South America to Mark Sager.
- I, Alvin Johnson, do will and bequeath my ability to get away with long hair to Clark Stein.
- I, Danny Bollinger, do will and bequeath my golden voice to Edwin Oest.
- I, Phil Poppenhager, do will and bequeath my ability to make time with the freshmen girls to Jim Beadles.
- I, Roy Parry, do will and bequeath my 18 pairs of contact lenses to anyone who can find them.
- I, Chuck Waggoner, do will and bequeath my physique to John Nichols.
- I, Ronnie Parr, do will and bequeath my lady pen-pals to Bill Pollitt.
- I, Gary Adkins, do will and bequeath my job at Hoopes' Nursery to anyone that can dig a hole.
- I, Mike Davis, do will and bequeath my seat in College Prep to Larry Anderson.
- I, Donna Derry, do will and bequeath my bouffant coiffure to Betty Palmer.
- I, Melvin Edminston, do will and bequeath my VIT neighborhood to Stephen Dean.
- I, John Gorsuch, do will and bequeath my shyness around girls to Steve Parry.
- I, Sandra Grover, do will and bequeath my long brown locks to Lisa Danner.
- I, Frank Heath, do will and bequeath my attraction to the Havana pool hall to Dennis Ratcliff.
- I, Edith Hopping, do will and bequeath my straight-A ability to Bobby Baker.
- I, Gary Hulett, do will and bequeath my ability to skip English to Greg Miller.
- I, Dorthy Lucas, do will and bequeath my old days at Rushville to Paul Hackman.
- I, Janice McCombs, do will and bequeath my changeable hair color to Sherry Grimmer.
- I, Connie Parr, do will and bequeath my speed typing scores to Lu Ann Dace.
- I, Chris Schlosser, do will and bequeath my birthday party invitations to Bob Cassell.
- I, Cherryl Bricker, do will and bequeath my G.A.A. temperament to Linda Powell.
- I, Babs Curless, do will and bequeath my diploma to NO ONE.
- I, Janice Ford, do will and bequeath my square dancing techniques to Brenda Smith.
- I, Rita Stambaugh, do will and bequeath my red hair to Debbie Fairburn.
- I, Davle Bucher, do will and bequeath my pet name "Doyle" to future Dayles of AHS.
- I, Diana Burton, do will and bequeath my height to Janet Ray.
- I, Rodney Chockley, do will and bequeath my zooming automobile to Nancy McCormick.
- I, Sally Brubeck, do will and bequeath my sense of humor to Coni Smith.
- I, Marsha Scrogum, do will and bequeath my little "Ray" of sunshine to NO ONE.
- I, Stephen Skiles, do will and bequeath my interest in the Play-Boy club to Kent Briney.
- I, Kenny Walters do will and bequeath my little maroon Rambler to Danny Jones.
- I, Max Workman, do will and bequeath all my English Leather cologne to Gary Bucher.
- I, Marcia Stephens, do will and bequeath my size 5 petite cheerleading outfit to Jill Davis.
- I, Kathy Sebree, do will and bequeath my Army life to NO ONE because I like it.

# CLASS PROPHECY

June 9, 1971

Dear Sally and Marcia,

We all missed you at our class reunion, but I realize how terribly busy both of you must be in your graduate work. One hears more and more everyday about the advancements in the fields of nursing and social work. Perhaps you will be interested in hearing about the accomplishments of our high school classmates, as seen through the eyes of a happily married wife and mother. Oh yes, on the day of the reunion our son celebrated his third birthday and our daughter will soon be two.

Of course Susan married Jerry and they live in Colorado Springs on a small ranch. Susan and Jerry are parents of four husky boys! When I spoke with Susan she mentioned that Linda Rawley married shortly after graduation and moved out of Illinois. Linda and her husband did not attend the reunion.

Chuck and Diana live on a farm outside of Astoria. They have a brand new baby boy. Diana graduated from Memorial a full-fledged nurse.

The day before the reunion, I attended Carol Joy's wedding where I saw many of our classmates. Mike Davis and his new bride were in charge of the floral arrangements. Mike has a chain of floral shops through-out the Midwest. By the way, his bride is the former Cheryl Bricker. Babs served at the reception table and she still looks as young as ever.

Many of our classmates are married. Gary Adkins and his wife live on a farm around Summum.

Dayle Bucher, Rodney Chockley, and Melvin Edmiston are prosperous farmers in the Fulton County area. They all have lovely families.

As you already know, Becky Davis and Eddie Lasley are married and Ed has made a career of the United States Army. They were unable to attend the reunion since Ed couldn't get a pass to come back. They have a little girl who is almost three years old.

Carl Cornn and his Mrs. own a cotton plantation in Louisiana.

Soon after graduation Marsha Scrogum and Sandra Grover went to St. Louis to work as receptionist at Barnes' Hospital, but Marsha returned to Summum and married her high school beau.

Danny Bollinger finally got the job of Nurses' aid at the nursing home in Lewistown.

Kenny Batterton has advanced to Department Manager at Sears in Peoria.

That leader of men, Robert Bucher, has almost accomplished his dream of

taking over South America. We see his name in the news everyday!

Janice McCombs and Donna Derry took time off from their positions as hair stylists in a famous Chicago salon to attend.

Rita Stambaugh and Janice Ford are secretaries at the University of Minneapolis. They are planning to fly to Europe during their vacation.

After growing up in the dry cleaning business Frank Heath decided to make a career of it. He now owns a chain of dry cleaners across the United States.

Edith and her husband own a pizza parlor in Table Grove.

Fulton County has just hired a new truant officer. He is our classmate Gary Hulett. I understand that he is kept very busy.

Alvin Johnson has finally made his million dollar hit, 'Little Baby Blue Eyes.' He records for Max Workman's Recording Company.

On the way to the reunion Don and I stopped at the Astoria hospital to see the former Dorothy Lucas and her twin girls.

Sharing an apartment in Springfield are that lively pair Chris and Connie. They both work at Bell Telephone Company where Stephen Skiles and Dennis Taylor are linemen.

Doug Shaw is a Captain in the United States Air Force. He isn't married yet but he's got a cute brunette.

Two of our boys run a Las Vegas Gambling Casino. They are Philip Poppenhager and Ronnie Parr.

Ken Walters manages the Boston Celtics on which Ray Parr is the Star Center.

Steve Richardson and Carroll Thompson run competitive grocery stores in Summum. Stanley Simpson and his wife Linda are frequent customers of both establishments. They have set up a chicken farm north of town.

Astoria District has hired Carol Tippet as their school nurse. She graduated from Graham School of Nursing and makes a fine nurse.

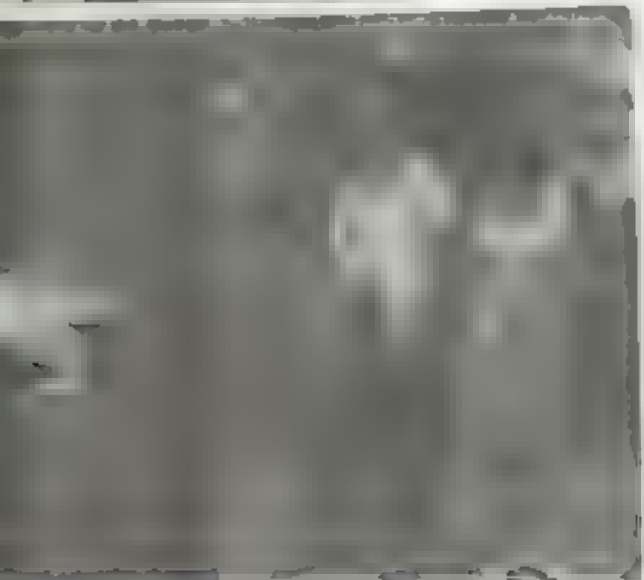
We all appreciated the work Norma Merrill and Max Stambaugh's wife did in planning the reunion. Norma married Don Beckman and Max Stambaugh is a shop foreman at International Harvester in Canton.

Oh, I almost forgot about Johnny Ben. He and his wife drop in often to see us. He helps farm the land around your old homestead, Marcia.

I must go now girls, my children are calling. Please write me soon.

Very truly yours,  
Kathy





**UNDERGRADS**

# JUNIOR



Gerald Adkins



Dan Anderson



Larry Anderson



Donald Beekman



Kent Briney



Carol Blickenstaff



Sandra Bushnell



Patty Clemens



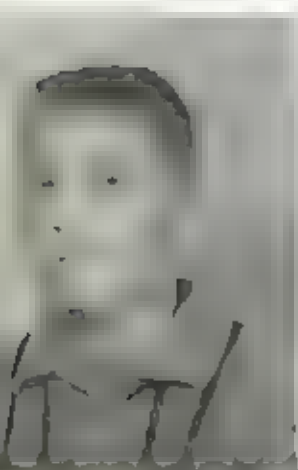
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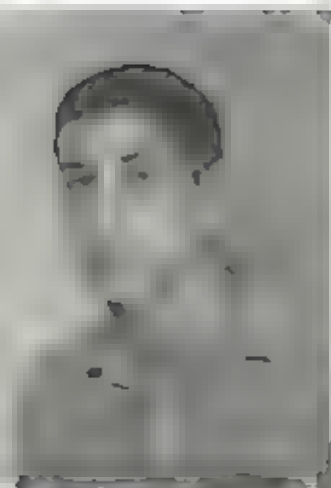
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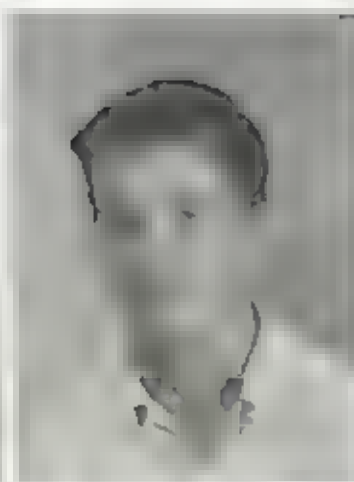
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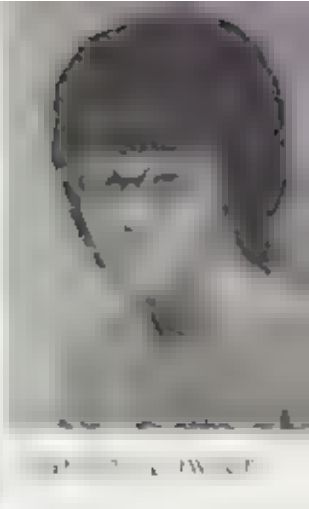
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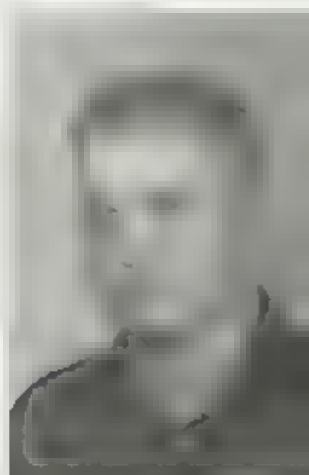
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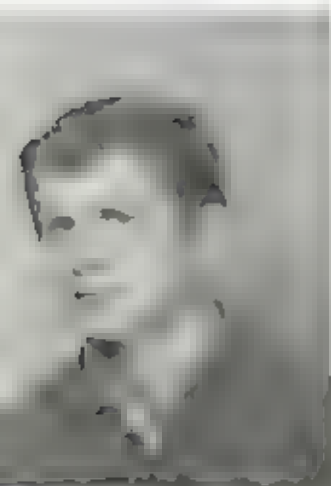
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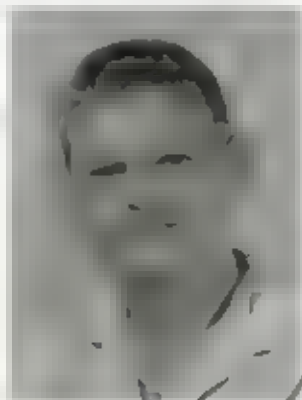
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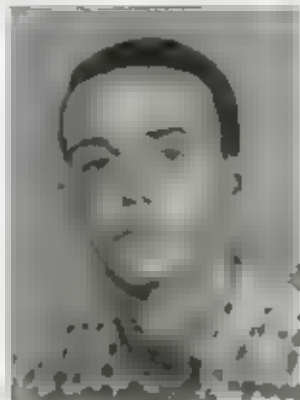
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Linda Davis



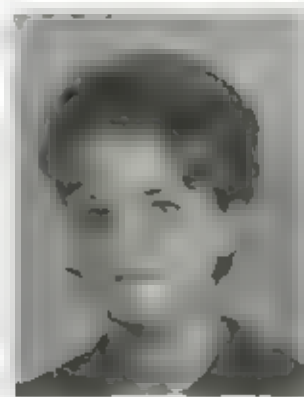
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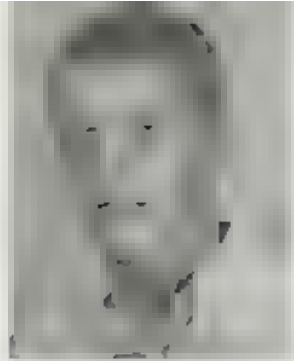


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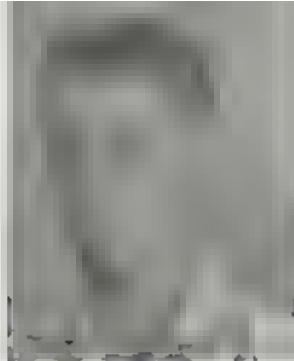


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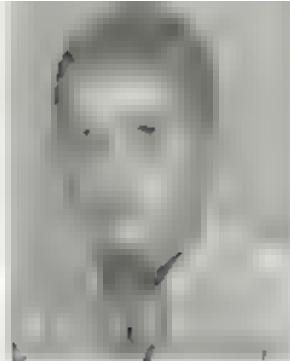




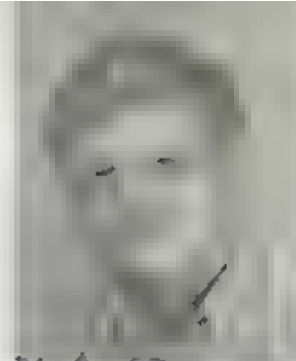
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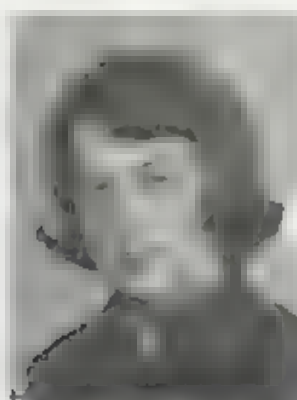
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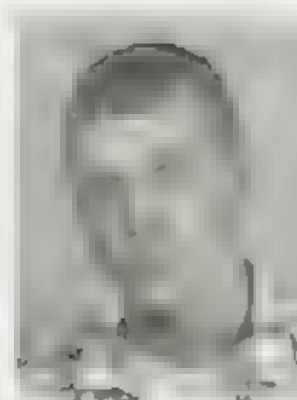
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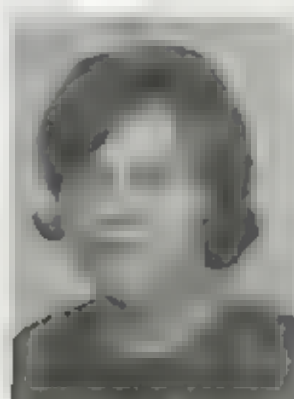
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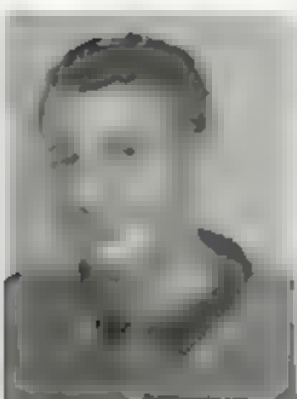
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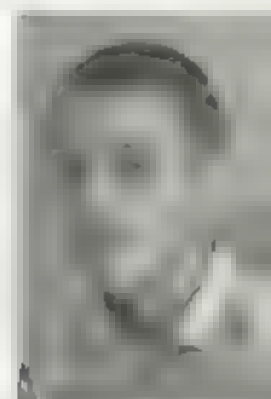
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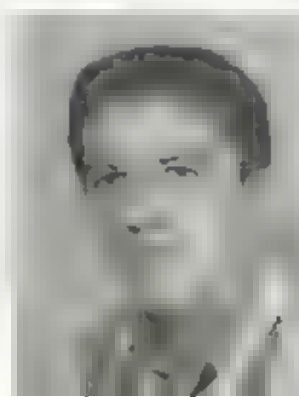
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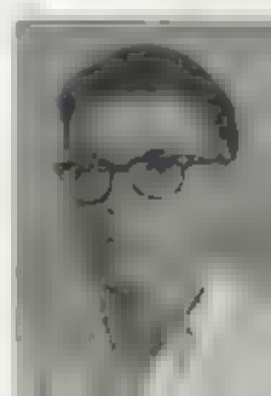
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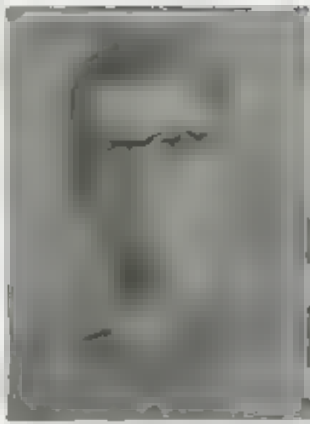
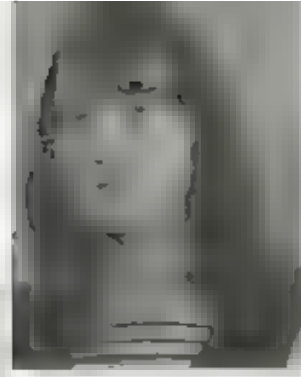
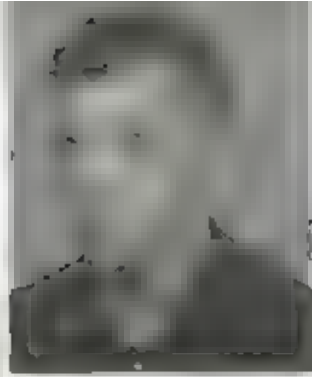
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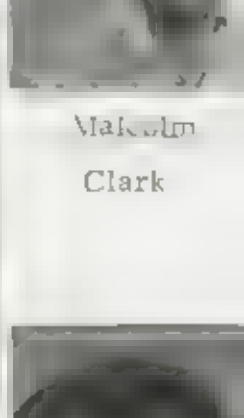
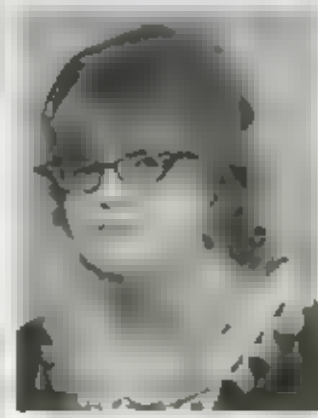
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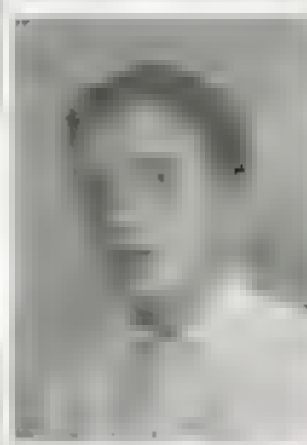
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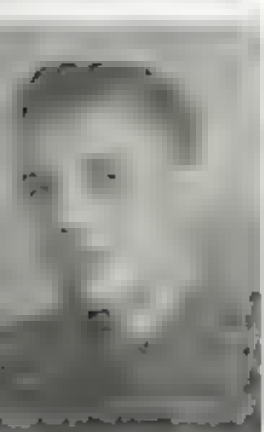
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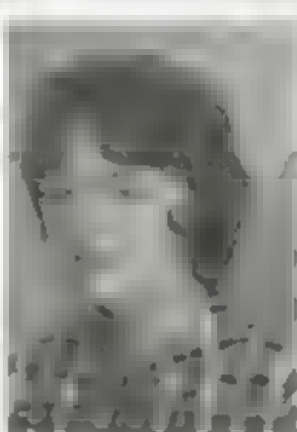
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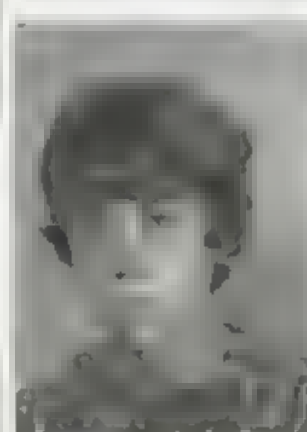
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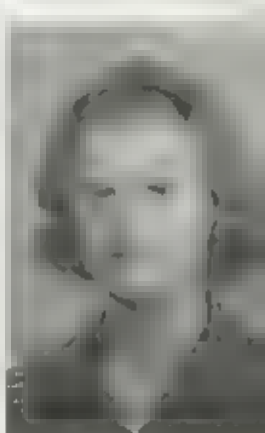
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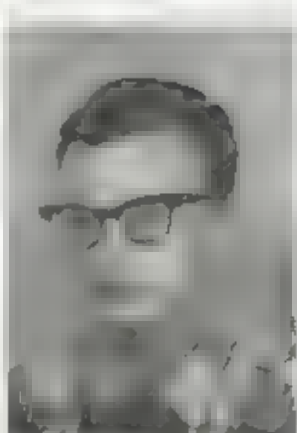
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Don Renner



Phyllis Robertson



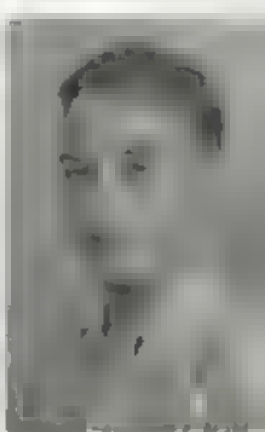
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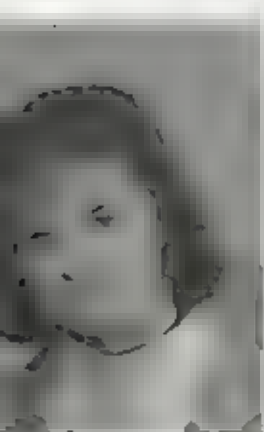
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Debbie Stambaugh



Clark Stine



Sharon Sullivan



Danny Weaver



Ronald Trone

# CLASS

## Junior Class History

In September, 1963, forty-five frightened Freshmen were greeted at the doors of A.H.S. by their class sponsors, Mrs. Kirkbride and Mr. Tripp. These green, timid Freshmen projected themselves into the year's activities immediately. Three girls were selected as J.V. cheerleaders. The class officers for the year were: Cheryl Irone, President; Jane Dadisman, Vice-President; Landa Skiles, Secretary; and Sherry Brown, Treasurer. Our Student Council Representatives were: Ginger Mummert, Kathy Jones and Linda Dorich.

As the doors of A.H.S. were opened in 1964, forty-five Sophomores marched in eagerly awaiting the promises of a new year. Our officers for the second year were: Bill Pollitt, President; Steve Parry, Vice-President; Jane Dadisman, Secretary; and Sherry Brown, Treasurer. Ginger Mummert, Kathy Jones, and Linda Dorich were again chosen to represent us in the Student Council. As in the previous year, our class was well represented in sports, band and other activities. Three J.V. cheerleaders were chosen from our class. That year our sponsors, Mrs. Kirkbride and Mr. Lowe, started us on our way to earning money for our Prom.

As the school bell rang in September of 1965, 40 members of the Junior Class began the long wait for class rings, the class play, and the Prom. The officers chosen to lead our class this year are: Connie Shaffer, President; Roger Grover, Vice President; Jane Dadisman, Secretary, Kent Briney, Treasurer. Our Student Council members this year are: Bill Pollitt, Ginger Mummert, and Kathy Jones. One of our girls was chosen as a Varsity cheerleader.

Mrs. Marx, our director, helped us present a successful play, 'Arsenic and Old Lace'. As the end of the year draws near, we Juniors, as well as Mrs. Kirkbride and Mr. Lowe, our sponsors, are anxiously awaiting the day of our Junior-Senior Prom.



# SOPHOMORE CLASS HISTORY

On September 1 of 1964 a group of scared Freshmen entered the doors of old A.H.S.

A few weeks later, not so scared, we elected our class officers to lead the Class. They were: President, Teddy Bair; Vice-President, Kathy Myers; Secretary, Kathy Miller; and Treasurer, Cindy Warner. Student Council representatives chosen were Linda Werner, Jeanne Waggoner, and Bob Cassel. Our class sponsors were Mrs. Marx and Mr. Madden.

Several of our boys took part in various sports activities that year. Two of our girls were chosen to be J.V. cheerleaders.

The Sophomores had the pleasure of initiation in October before we became true members of the Astoria High School.

In September of '65 the same group of youngsters returned to A.H.S. to begin their Sophomore year. This year our officers are: President, Teddy Bair; Vice-President, Bob Cassel; Secretary, Kathy Miller; and Treasurer, Wendell Olsen. Student Council members are Linda Werner, Cindy Warner, and Jeanne Waggoner.

This year, as before, several boys went out for sports. Cindy Warner and Jeanne Waggoner were chosen to be J.V. cheerleaders.

Our class has been working very diligently for these past two years to raise money for our Junior-Senior Prom next year.

## Freshman Class History

In August of 1965, a group of fifty-five frightened, but eager Freshmen entered A.H.S. to embark on their High School career. It was, at first, hard to adjust to this new life, but before long, many of the students had joined some activities.

The boys represented their class well in sports. Connie Bair, Ian Curless, Patty France, and Linda Powell were chosen as J.V. cheerleaders to help the boys toward victory.

The class officers are: President, Sam Parry; Vice-President, Edwin Oest; Secretary, Jean Clemens; Treasurer, Ricky Batterton.

Student Council members are Nancy Phillips, Jeff Poppenhager, and Jim Cassel.

Before long, Freshman initiation was upon them. The theme this year was 'Movie Stars' and 'Cartoon Characters'. Those receiving prizes were: First place, Baby Huey and his Mamma-Lisa Danner and Jim Dodd; Second place, Phyllis Diller and Fang-Sally Campbell and Patty France; Third place, The Beverly Hillbillies-Jean Clemens, Phyllis Robertson, Jeff Poppenhager, Randy Loutch, Keith Prather, David Thomas, and Clark Stine.

In the town homecoming, the class received first place on their float entitled "Ireland".

The class sponsors are Mrs. Trimpe and Mr. Estes.

# FRESHMAN



Little Red Riding Hood  
Marian Edmiston  
Mike Ford  
Malcolm Clark Jr.  
Sharon Fisk



Charlie Weaver &  
Minnie Pearl



The Fl  
Donna  
Ronnie Trone  
Gary Behymer  
Rhonda Blue  
Linda Powell  
Ricky McCormick



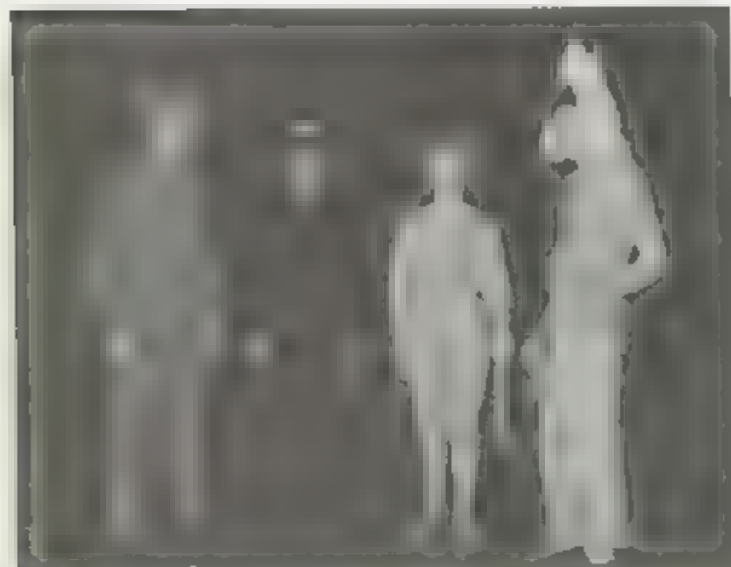
Joe, The Bartender  
Sam Parry  
Robert Baker



The Beverly Hillbillies  
David Thomas  
Clark Stine  
Jeff Poppenhager  
Jeanie Clemens  
Randy Foutch  
Phyllis Robertson  
Keith Prather



Fred and Wilma  
Gwendolyn Lindsey  
Connie Smith



King Leonardo: Danny Weaver, Crystal  
Lawver, Joyce Schuller, Keith Heier



Baby Huey and Mama: Lisa  
Danner, Jimmy Dodd



The Addams Family: Connie Bair, Tim  
Cass, L. Edwin Oest, Ricky Batterton, Janet  
Ray, Jimmy Foutch

# INITIATION



Phyllis Diller and the  
Sally Campbell  
Fifty France



The T  
Lucinda Gehring  
Linda Phillips



Popeye and Olive Oyl  
Cheryl Sirogum  
Neil Danner



Ma and Pa Kettle  
Penny Hackman  
Sherry Grimmer



Miss Teenage  
America  
Duane Shanks



Maryanne Faithful  
Jan Curless

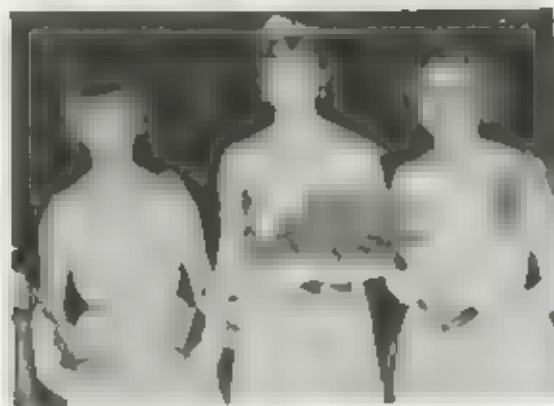
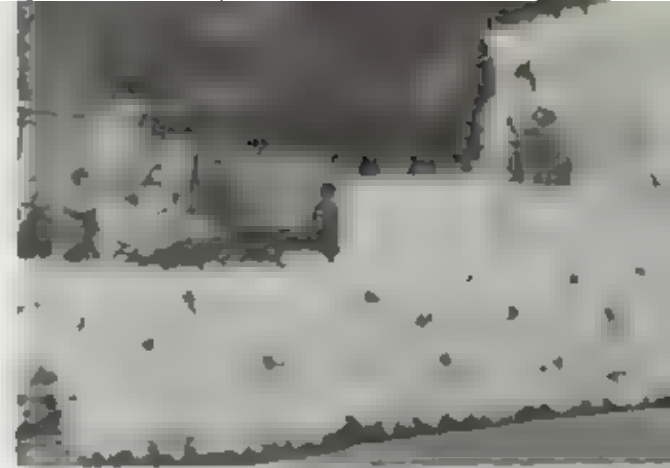


The Munsters and "Do you wanna Drag?  
Steve Burget, Tony Morris, Jill Davis, Nancy  
Phillips, Sue Clayton, Sharon Beck, Sharon  
Sullivan

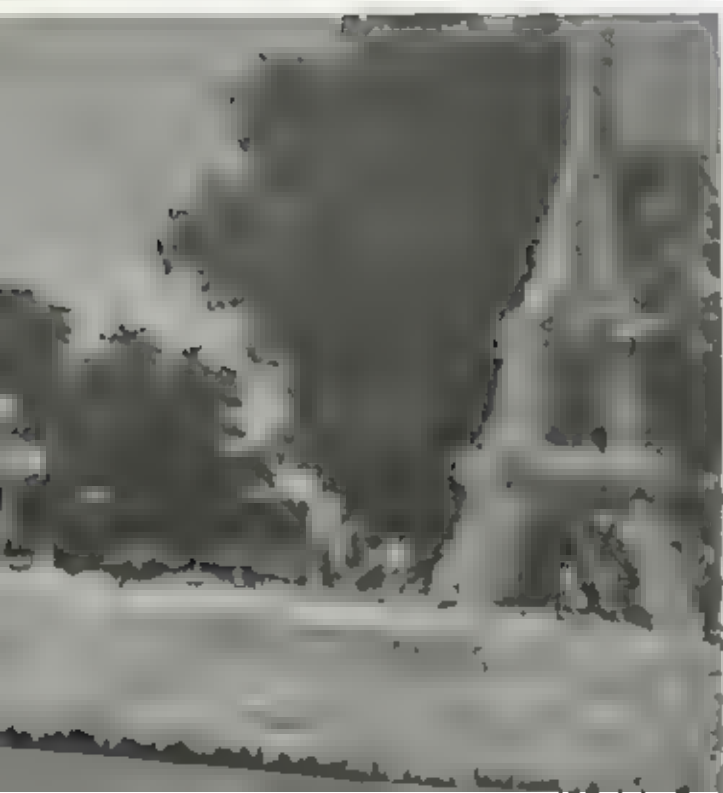


Farmer In the Dell  
Debbie Stambaugh  
Sharon Corman





## ASTORIA HOMECOMING



Let's All Meet at the  
Homecoming Event  
on Friday  
at 7:00 PM  
at the Astoria High School

**ORGANIZATIONS**

## HONOR STUDENTS

These students have received special honors during their senior year.

Edith Hopping is the Valedictorian of the senior class this year and Marcia Stephens is the Salutatorian.

Robert Bucher was a Semi-finalist for the Illinois State Scholarship award.

The D.A.R. and S.A.R. Good Citizen awards were given to Carol Joy Gift and Roy Parry. The recipients of these two honors are selected by the senior class and the faculty.



Honor Students

Carol Gift, Marcia Stephens, Roy Parry, Robert Bucher, Edith Hopping.





1st Row: Mr. Garbe, Diana Burton, Phil Poppenhager, Kathy Jones, Carol Joy Gift, 2nd Row: Bill Pollitt, Jim Cassel, Roy Parry, John Werner, Steve

Poppenhager, Danny Jones, 3rd Row: Cindy Warner, Nancy Phillips, John Gorsuch, Jeff Poppenhager, Becky Davis, Ginger Mummert, Jeanie Waggoner

## STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council is not just another extracurricular activity in the school, but is a very important organization in the school. It promotes school and community relationships, and works continually to improve making the school for our fellow students with projects for their benefit.

The Council isn't a money-making organization. Its purpose is to improve the school. The Council's projects during the year are as follows: planning the Miss Astoria Contest; providing three assemblies for the benefit and entertainment of the school; the individual pictures taken during the fall; the annual Christmas

party; Dress-up Day; and Student Government Day.

The members of the Council are selected representatives from every organization and class in the school. Each class has three members as representatives, and each organization has one. These members are first nominated from their group to run and then are voted on by the student body and the faculty in the spring of each year. Our sponsor is Mr. Garbe. This year's officers are: President, Diana Burton; Vice-President, Phillip Poppenhager; Secretary, Kathy Jones; Treasurer, Carol Joy Gift.

# G.A.A.

"G.A.A. is for the good of the girls who play," is the motto of this important organization. This association provides interesting activities and the opportunity to display sportsmanship.

Interested girls have taken part in these activities: softball, bowling, modern

dancing, hiking, basketball, volleyball, and volley-tennis.

The girl's Athletic Association provides an activity for girls interested in sports. It is "for the good of the girls who play."

## COMPLIMENTS OF OSMAN JEWELRY

BILL, MARION AND CAROL ANN



1st Row: Jane Dadisman, Kathy Sebree, Ginger Mummert, Diana Burton, Janice McCombs, Carol Foster, Carol Gift, Landa Skiles. 2nd Row: Cindy Warner, Sue Clayton, Jeane Beaird, Sally Campbell, Miss Burnett, Sharon Conner, Debbie Stambaugh, Penny Hackman, Connie Bair. 3rd Row: Kathy Miller, Lisa Danner, Linda Dorich, Sally Brubeck, Sandra Clayton, Nancy Phillips, Marcia Stephens, Connie Gregory,

Jeanie Waggoner, Sharon Fisk. 4th Row: Cheryl Trone, Sandra Bushnell, Merrie Jean Foster, Rhonda Blue, K. A. Jones, Rita Stambaugh, Linda Powell, Carol Blackwell, Cherryl Bricker, Kathy Welker. 5th Row: Jan Curless, Patty Clemens, Connie Shaffer, Sandy Rawley, Linda Foutch, Jill Davis, Sherry Grimmer, Becky Davis, Susan Poppenhager, Phyllis Robertson, Patty France



Back row: Mr. A. Lamphere, Dan Olson, Ron Barr, Phil Poppenhager, Ed Easley, Ray Easley, Chuck Anderson 2nd row: Ken Barr, Kenny Barr, Nenny Walters, Steve Easley, Jim Beadles, Jack Shaw,

Marvin Johnson 3rd row: Bill Pollitt, Bob Cassel, Marvin Wessink, Mike Adams, John Werner, Steve Poppenhager, Jerry Fowler, John Nichols

## Letterman's Club

Any boy receiving a varsity letter in Football, Basketball, or track is initiated and enrolled in the Letterman's Club. This is not a money making organization, but, merely helps buy athletic equipment. To make one's membership worth while we sponsor soc-hops and carnivals, and

also participate in GAA. - Letterman's sport night.

Officers for this year are: President, Phil Poppenhager; Vice-President, Ron Barr; Secretary-Treasurer, Ed Easley. Our sponsor is Mr. Estes.

COMPLIMENTS OF  
RAY'S FURNITURE

MAIN STREET ASTORIA

SOWERS FAMILY



## F.H.A.

This year our advisor is Miss Van Ham and our Chapter Mothers are Mrs. Evelyn Surratt and Mrs. Helen Derry. The officers are: President, Connie Shaffer; Vice-President, Beverly Surratt; Secretary, Cheryl Trone; Historian, Linda Derry; Projects, Barbara Shields; Public Relations, Carol Blickenstaff; Recreation, Joyce Derry; Parliamentarian, Shirley Rose; Degrees Chairman, Carol Tippey; Student Council Representative, Becky Davis.

Our club started off its activities by joining the F.F.A. for a weiner roast and hay ride. Then we planned a campout at Camp Emanuel so the past members could get acquainted with the incoming Freshmen. Activities included a grab bag, dancing, and a midnight snack of pop and cake. Following

a sleepless, cold, but fun packed night the girls filled up on pancakes.

November found us busy preparing tray favors for the Mason District Hospital in Havana. Preceding the Christmas Holidays, we went caroling in town and then returned to the school for cocoa and homemade donuts. In addition, the girls collected cans of food for needy families.

In February, we have the initiation of new members which includes a "costume" day. Also planned for this month is Heart Sister's Day.

The past months have also included money-making projects, such as soc hops, rummage and bake sales. We plan to use the money for a skating party and a trip, later in the spring.



1st Row: Miss Van Ham, Joyce Derry, Christy Clemens, Connie Shaffer, Beverly Surratt, Cheryl Trone, Shirley Rose, Carol Blickenstaff 2nd Row: Barbara Shields, Carol Tippey, Linda Derry, Dorothy Lucas, Sharon Beck, Luanne Dace, Jeanie Bealrd, Debbie Stambaugh, Penny Hackman, Sue Clayton, Gwenie Lindsey 3rd Row: Cheryl Scrogum, Betty Palmer, Lynette Ogdon, Debrah

Fairburn, Rhonda Blue, Linda Powell, Jean Clemens, Dorothy Clayton, Sharon Corman, Sharon Sullivan 4th Row: Phyllis Robertson, Connie Parr, Linda Rawley, Sandy Rawley, Darlene Lawver, Jill Davis, Sherry Grimmer, Becky Davis, Susan Poppenhager, Chris Schlosser, Marsha Scrogum



F.F.A.

1st Row: Mr. Robert Lowe, Kenny Batterton, Rodney Chockley, Stephen Skiles, Tom Trone, Stephen Dean, Marvin Westlake. 2nd Row: Ronnie Trone, Robert Woodruff, Steve Burger, Tony Morris, Melvin Edmiston, Rick McCormick, Jim Dodd, Rick Batterton, Jim Fouch. 3rd Row: Gary Miller, Ray Adkins, Melvin

Edmiston, Ray Adkins, Gary Bucher, Randy Crumb, Mike Ford, Paul Hackman, Ronnie Kimbro, Wendell Schisler. 4th Row: Danny Jones, Carroll Thompson, Larry Bent, Richard Oest, Don Beekman, Edmund Oest, Dennis Ratcliff, John Gorsuch, Harley Joe Curless.

## Future Farmers of America

The Future Farmers of America is the national organization of, by, and for boys studying vocational agriculture. It was organized nationally in 1928. The Astoria chapter was originally chartered on November 7, 1938.

The symbols of this organization are the owl, the plow, a cross section of an ear of corn, the rising sun, and the eagle which when formed together, symbolize the emblem of an honorable rural youth organization.

There are thirty-five members in the

Astoria chapter of Future Farmers. The officers are: President, Steve Skiles; Vice-President, Rodney Chockley; Secretary, Tom Trone; Treasurer, Stephen Dean; Reporter, Kenny Batterton; Sentinel, Marvin Westlake. Our advisor is Mr. Lowe.

The F.F.A. took a trip to Chicago this year and had an enjoyable time. Many other activities are being planned for the future. This year we participated in Soil Judging Contest, Grain Judging, and Livestock Judging. We also rented a farm.

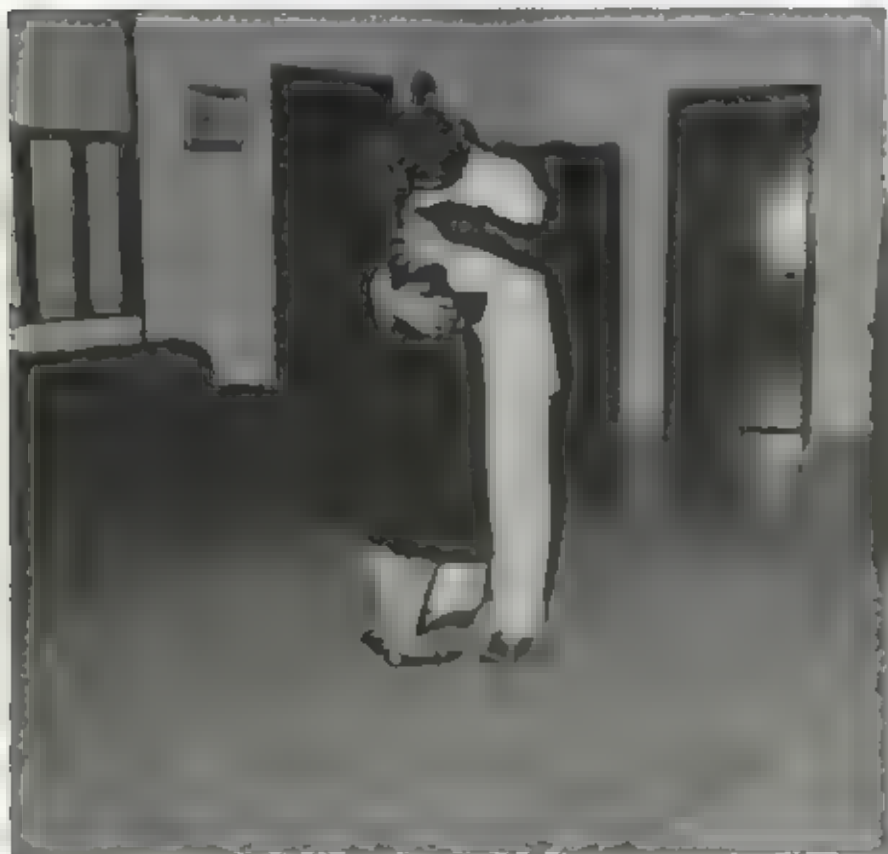


## JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

MASSIE AND OLD LACE  
by Joseph Kesselring  
Under the direction of Mrs. Flora Marx

The play deals with two ladies who had been married to each other.

Abby Brewster	Linda Skiles
The Keeper Harper	Marion Westlake
Lucy Brewster	Stephen Dean
Officer Murphy	Kenneth K. Miller
Officer Smith	Don Beekman
Martin Brewster	Linda Dorich
Harper Harper	Kathy Jones
Margaret Brewster	Bill Pollitt
Mr. Witherspoon	Garv Connor
Mr. Brewster	Steve Parry
Dr. Brewster	Tom Tron
Officer O'Hara	John Nichols
Lieutenant Rooney	Dan Anderson
Mr. Witherspoon	Jim Beadles









Senior Class Play

First row: Phillip Poppenhager; Steve Richardson; Roy Parr; Kenny Walters; Chuck Waggoner; Second row: Mrs. Marx, Director; Dorothy Lucas; Linda

Rawley; Cheryl Bricker; Carol Joy Gift; Sally Brubeck; Janice McCombs. Third row: Melvin Edmiston; Stephen Chris Schlosser; Bob Bucher.

## SENIOR CLASS PLAY

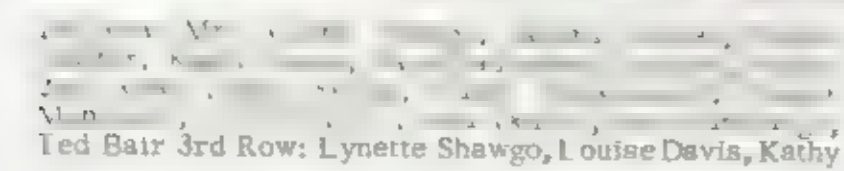
"You Can't Take It With You", written by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman, was presented by the Senior Class on May 5 and 6. This celebrated comedy presents the mad world of the Sycamores. The strange activities of this household threaten to ruin young Alice Sycamore's dream of marrying Tony Kirby, son of a rich, sophisticated family. However, as the play progresses, the Sycamore's happy madness puts the Kirby's not so happy concept of life to shame.

### Cast of Characters

Penelope Sycamore	Sally Brubeck
Essie	Susan Poppenhager
Rheba	Chris Schlosser
Paul Sycamore	Max Workman
Mr. De Pinna	Roy Parry
Ed	Steve Richardson
Donald	Robert Bucher
Martin Vanderhof	Phillip Poppenhager
Alice	Marcia Stephens
Henderson	Mike Davis
Tony Kirby	Alvin Johnson
Boris Kolenkhov	Charles Waggoner
Gay Wellington	Carol Gift
Mr. Kirby	Kenneth Walters
Mrs. Kirby	Janice McCombs
Three G-Men	Melvin Edmiston
	John Gorsuch
	Steve Skiles
Olga	Becky Davis

Committees:

Stage Manager	Linda Rawley
Sound Effects	Kenny Batterton
Wardrobe	Dorothy Lucas
	Doris Curless
	Sandra Grover
	Edith Hopping
Make-up	Cheryl Bricker
	Donna Derry
	Janice Ford
Business	Becky Davis
	Chris Schlosser
	Connie Parr
	Ed Easley
	Max Stambaugh
Set Construction	Gary Adkins
	Rodney Chockley
	John Gorsuch
	Kenny Batterton
	Melvin Edmiston
	Steve Skiles
	Carroll Thompson
Properties	Doug Shaw
	Kathy Sebree
	Ronnie Parr
Lighting	Max Stambaugh
Curtain	Danny Bollinger
Ushers	Frank Heath
	Rita Stambaugh
	Gary Hulett
	Carl Cornn
	Dayle Bucher
	Dennis Taylor
Prompters	Marsha Scrogum
	Norma Merrill
Hair Styles	Diana Burton



The librarians, under the guidance of Mrs. Lumspey, help to keep the library an orderly and quiet place. The duty of a librarian is to lend out the books and see that they are returned promptly. They must also see that the books are put into the correct place.







1st Row: Sue Clayton, Debbie Stammann, Connie Gregory, Mrs. Carlton, Linda Skiles, Dorothy Jones, Barbara Sneads. 2nd Row: Carol Giff, Shirley Ross, Sally Stueck, Christ Mummert, Kathleen Myers, Penny Sebree. 3rd Row: Merrie Jean Foster, Mary Jo Tippey,

and Judsman, Dorothy Clayton, Joyce Derry, Kathy Jones, Carol Tippey. 4th Row: Darlene Lawler, Susan Lippenhager, Becky Davis, Teresa Frame, Linda Derry, Diana Burton, Phyllis Robertson.

## Girls' Chorus

Earlier this year Mrs. Carlton consented to instruct a girls' chorus. Practice for those interested was held on Mondays after school for an hour and during Activity Period on Thursdays. Perhaps in the future even boys may belong.

The chorus performed at the annual High School Christmas Party and at the Grade School Christmas Program. This spring we plan to give a small program and attend the Fulton County Chorus Festival.



Sandra Grover, Bill Pollitt, Chuck Waggoner, Norma Merrill

## COLOR BEARERS

Three years ago the Color Bearers were added to the A.H.S. Marching Band.

This group, consisting of two girls and two boys, are not band members.

The United States and Pirate flags were

donated to the band by Diana and Bobby Reid in memory of their Grandfather, Ray Wilson.

This year's Color Bearers are Norma Merril, Sandra Grover, Bill Pollitt, and Chuck Waggoner.



MAJORETTES

Front: Susan Poppenhager, Standing: Sally Brubeck, Teresa France, Marcia Stephens





National Honor Society

First row: Mr. Garbe, Sponsor; Roger Grover; Roy Parry; Diana Burton; Marcia Stephens; Edith Hoppling; Bill Pollitt; Sherry Brown. Second row: Linda Dorich;

Carol Pitt; Cheryl Trone; Jane Dadisman; Mary Jo Tippey; Ginger Mummert; Kathy Sebree; Landa Skiles.

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Gaining membership into the National Honor Society is one of the highest honors a high school student can attain. The cardinal objectives of the Honor Society are: leadership, encouragement of high standards of scholarship, service, and character among high school students. These objectives are the requirements for any chapter of the National Honor Society.

To be eligible for membership in the Astoria chapter, the student must be of at least Junior standing, must have no less than a 3.0 grade average in accordance with our school's 4.0 grading system, and must never have received below 2.0 for a semester grade. The names of the students who meet these requirements are submitted to the entire faculty to be voted on. The faculty then considers the qualifying factors and votes accordingly. Two dissenting votes by the faculty bar a person from attaining membership into the National Honor Society.

Once one is in the National Honor Society, he has certain requirements he must keep to maintain his membership. If he does not maintain the required scholastic standing, or for any other reason is proven unworthy to belong to the National Honor Society, he will be dismissed.

The members that were taken into the National Honor Society this year were Roger Grover, Bill Pollitt, Sherry Brown, Linda Dorich, Cheryl Trone, Jane Dadisman, Mary Jo Tippey, Ginger Mummert, and Landa Skiles. All nine of these students are juniors this year. This is the largest group of initiates that has been accepted into the Astoria chapter since it was formed in 1961.

This year's officers are:

President . . . . .	Roy Parry
Vice President . . . . .	Diana Burton
Secretary . . . . .	Marcia Stephens
Treasurer . . . . .	Edith Hoppling



Majorities: Marcia Stephens, Teresa France, Susan Pappalader, Sally Bruback Row 1: Jane Daisman, Sally Campbell, Sharon Moss, Carla Warner, Barbara Sholis, Philip Collins, John Heard, Linda Phillips, Connie Blair Row 2: Carol Joy Ott, Jeanne Wagner, Kathleen Myers,

Nancy McCormick, Cheryl Scrogum, Linda Skiles, Linda Dornich, Jim Cassel, Charles Barron, Wandaan Cift, Debbie Fairburn, Kathy Weker, Linda Hatch, Mary Miller Row 3: Marcia Scrogum, Sandra Clayton, Nancy Phillips, Janet Ray, Terry France, Jan Carlless, Don Manner, Mary Jean

The band's activities began this year with the Fulton Friendship Festival parade on Saturday, September 15, and continued with the Fulton County Band Festival on Sunday, September 16. These two parades are annual events in which we enjoy taking part.

A selection of solos and standard numbers was performed at the Fulton County Band Festival on Sunday, September 16.

On this evening each band in Fulton County presented two numbers of their own in addition to the numbers that were played in the mass band. The two pieces performed by our band were "The Forest and the Wishing Well," and "The Wishing Well."

Most time went into the preparation of the solos and ensembles that were taken to the Fulton County Band Festival on Sunday, September 16.

At our Spring Concert on April 24, selections were

performed by the Grade School Band, State Band, and the Fulton County Band.

The Fulton County Band was also part of an annual spring tour in which we presented a concert in two of the area high schools, one in the morning and one in the afternoon.

Awards from the Fulton County Band Festival will be presented to the band members at the band picnic, which will take place this year on May 10.

Memorial Day will find our band giving a concert in the park for the annual Memorial Day service.

Our band season is closed each year with a series of ensembles given in the park on Saturday, June 1. The first of these concerts this year is June 1, the band will be the featured group for their performance by getting to take a trip to the State Fair in August.



Director, Debra Stambaugh, Carol Foster, Debra Hurton, Jeff Poppenhager, John Nichols, Carol Lappey, Keith Zlatner, Dennis Wickett, Cheryl Ann Lapey, Bob Cassen, Kathy Jones, Gary Conley, Row 4: Joyce Schister, Sharon Fisk, Mary L. Lappey, Rhonda Robertson, Brenda Smith, Cruz

Thornsbrough, Steve Burger, Jon Davis, Tommy Trone, Connie Smith, John Werner, Ginger Mummert, Carol Shaffer standing. Director, Mr. William Castlen, Mark Sager, Sharon Conner, Sharon Buck, Sandra Lapey, Ed Politt, Chuck Waggoner, Norma Merritt, Connie Rogers

#### Band

1st Clarinet: Marla Stephens\*, Carol Gift\*, Jeanie Waggoner, Kathie Myers, Nancy McCormick. 2nd Clarinet: Marsha Scheraga, Sandra Cliver, Nancy Phillips, Janet Day, Patty Irwin, Jo Ann Clark, Joyce Schister, Sharon Fisk, Mary L. Lappey, Phyllis Robertson, Brenda Smith, Cruz Thornsbrough. 3rd Clarinet: Susan Poppenhager\*, Jane Judisman, Sally Campbell, Cindy Warner, Sharon Ronda. 2nd Flute: Barbara Shields, Phil Collins, Connie Barr, Linda Phillips, Jeanie Leland, Choe Kathy Miller\*, Teresa France. 1st Alto Saxophone: Sally Webster\*, Linda Leland. 2nd Alto Saxophone: Linda Skiles, Cheryl Scheraga. 3rd Saxophone: Charles Burton\*, Sam Cassel. 4th Saxophone: Linda Furlon. Alto Clarinet: Jay Collins\*, Don Nether, Jack Clarinet: Marie Foster\*, Debra Stambaugh, Carol Bass Clarinet: Carol Foster. 1st French Horn: Linda Foutch\*, 2nd French Horn: Debra Fairburn. 3rd

French Horn: Wendel Gift. 1st Cornet: Gary Conley\*, Kathy Jones\*. 2nd Cornet: Bob Cassen, Cheryl Lapey. 3rd Cornet: Dennis Wickett, Keith Phillips, Carol Lappey. 4th Cornet: John Nichols\*. 5th Cornet: Carol Shaffer\*. 6th Cornet: Ginger Mummert. 2nd Trombone: John Werner, Connie Smith. Bass Horn: Tommy Trone\*, Jon Davis, Steve Burger. Percussion: Sharon Conner\*, Spade, bass drum; Mark Sager\*, snare, baritone (Connie Rogers), tympani, bass drum. Sharon Buck, snare, bass drum. \*Refers to band in section hand. Mr. President, Carol Gift; Vice President, Marla Stephens, Secretary, Jane Judisman, Librarian, Jeanie Waggoner, Cindy Warner, Dennis Wickett, Linda Foutch, Sandra Conner, Debra Ronda, Class Advisor, Ginger Mummert, Ed Politt, Charles Burton, Superintendent, Director, William Castlen. Stage Director, Carol Gift.





#### Solos and Ensembles

First row: Mr. Carlton, Director; Kathy Meyers; Carol Gift; Merrie Jean Foster; Jan Curless; Nancy Phillip Jeanie Waggoner. Second row: Susan Poppenha Cindy Warner; Nancy McCormick; Carol Foster. Third row: Jane Dadisman; Marcia Stephens; Linda Dorich;

Landa Skiles; Keith Prather; Bob Cassel; Quentin Wickert; Cheryl Trone. Fourth row: Sally Brubeck; Charlie Burton; Gary Connolly; Kathy Jones; Connie Shaffer; Jon Davis; John Nichols; Linda Foutch.

## Solos and Ensembles

The State Music Contest was held this year at Macomb on March 12. The following solos and ensembles participated:

Alto saxophone solo; Linda Dorish-Sonate 2

Alto saxophone solo; Landa Skiles-La Brillante

Flute Solo; Jane Dadisman-Valse

Tenor saxophone solo; Charlie Burton-Prelude and Allegro

Clarinet solo; Nancy McCormick-Introduction and Tarentella

Flute solo; Sally Campbell-Andalouse

Saxophone quintet; Linda Dorich, Landa Skiles, Sally Brubeck, Charlie Burton, and Marcia Stephens-The Thunderer

Trombone Trio; Connie Shaffer, Ginger

Mummert, and John Werner-The Cavaliers

Flute quartet; Susan Poppenhager, Jane Dadisman, Cindy Warner, and Sally Campbell-Rondo-Finale

Clarinet choir; Carol Gift, Jeanie Waggoner, Kathleen Myers, Nancy Phillips, Janet Kay, Jan Curless, Merrie Jean Foster, Carol Foster-Allegro

Clarinet quartet; Marcia Stephens, Jeanie Waggoner, Kathleen Myers, Nancy McCormick-Candid Clarinets

Brass sextet; Gary Connolly, Kathy Jones, John Nichols, Connie Shaffer, Linda Foutch, and Jon Davis-Overture for Brass

Cornet quartet; Bob Cassel, Quentin Wickert, Cheryl Trone, and Keith Prather-Four Aces



**SPORTS**



1st Row: Melvin Edmiston, Robert Bucher, Kenny Batterton, Phillip Poppenhager, Bill Pollitt, Doug Shaw, Ed Easley, Wendell Gift. 2nd Row: Kenny Walters, Steve Poppenhager, Jack Danner, Marvin Westlake, Steve Richardson, Max Stambaugh, Chuck Waggoner,

Greg Thornsborough, Bob Stambaugh. Standing: Mr. Ronald Madden, Roy Parry, John Werner, Steve Parry, Mr. William Estes, Jon Davis, Bob Cassel, Jeff Poppenhager, Mr. James Garbe.

### THE 1965 FOOTBALL TEAM COMPILED A 1-6-1 RECORD

The win was a 13-0 victory against Virginia, the first game of the season. The tie was 0-0 with Industry. In this game we moved the ball well but had 120 yards against us. The boys really showed what they could do in the last 2 minutes of the game.

Co-captain, Chuck Waggoner, was named 2nd string All Conference tackle. Chuck did a great job on both offense and defensive tackle. He was also the back bone of the line.

Co-captain, Phil Poppenhager, did a good job at quarterback. The job of the quarterback is to lead the team. Phil was at his best in the Virginia game.

Melvin Edmiston was injured at the first of the season with torn ligaments. He came back half way through the season and did a great job on defense.

Bob Bucher did a very good job at guard on both offense and defense.

Doug Shaw made a great halfback after being out half a year due to injury.

Roy Parry was as tough a defensive end as there was in the Wilco Conference.

We also had 5 sophomores, 1 freshman, and 4 juniors who played a lot of football and are looking forward to next season.

## J. V. Football

1st Row: David Thomas, Wendell Gift, Marian Edmiston, Gary Behymer, Greg Miller, Randy Foutch, 2nd Row: Jeff Poppenhager, Steve Poppenhager, John Werner, Jon Davis, Sam Parry, Jack Danner, Bob Stambaugh,

Standing: Mr. James Garbe, Mr. Ronald Madden, Bob Cassel, Mr. William Estes, Joe Curless, Kenny Walters, Greg Thornsborough



Our JV team got off to a good start by defeating Industry in their opening game. Next came a tie with Beardstown. The JV's went on to lose their last two games to Cuba and Havana who proved too much for our

boys.

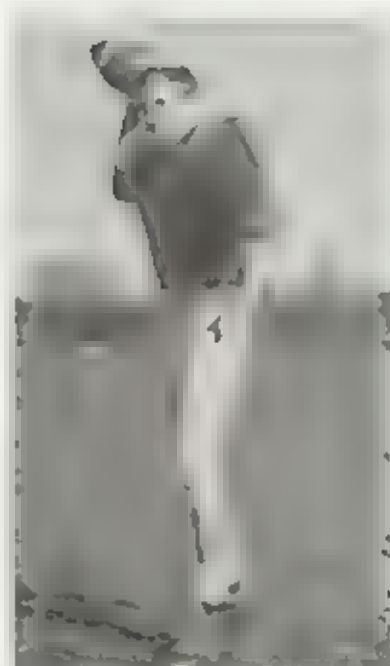
These boys did a fine job in helping to condition the varsity and in gaining experience for next year.



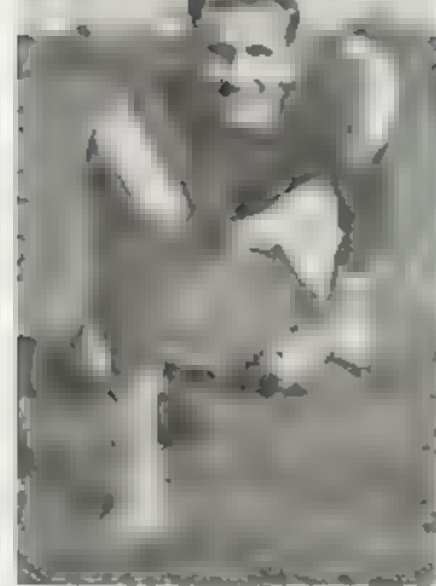
Doug Shaw



Charles Waggoner



Philip Poppenhager



Kenny Batterton



Ed Easley



Senior Football Players



Roy Parry

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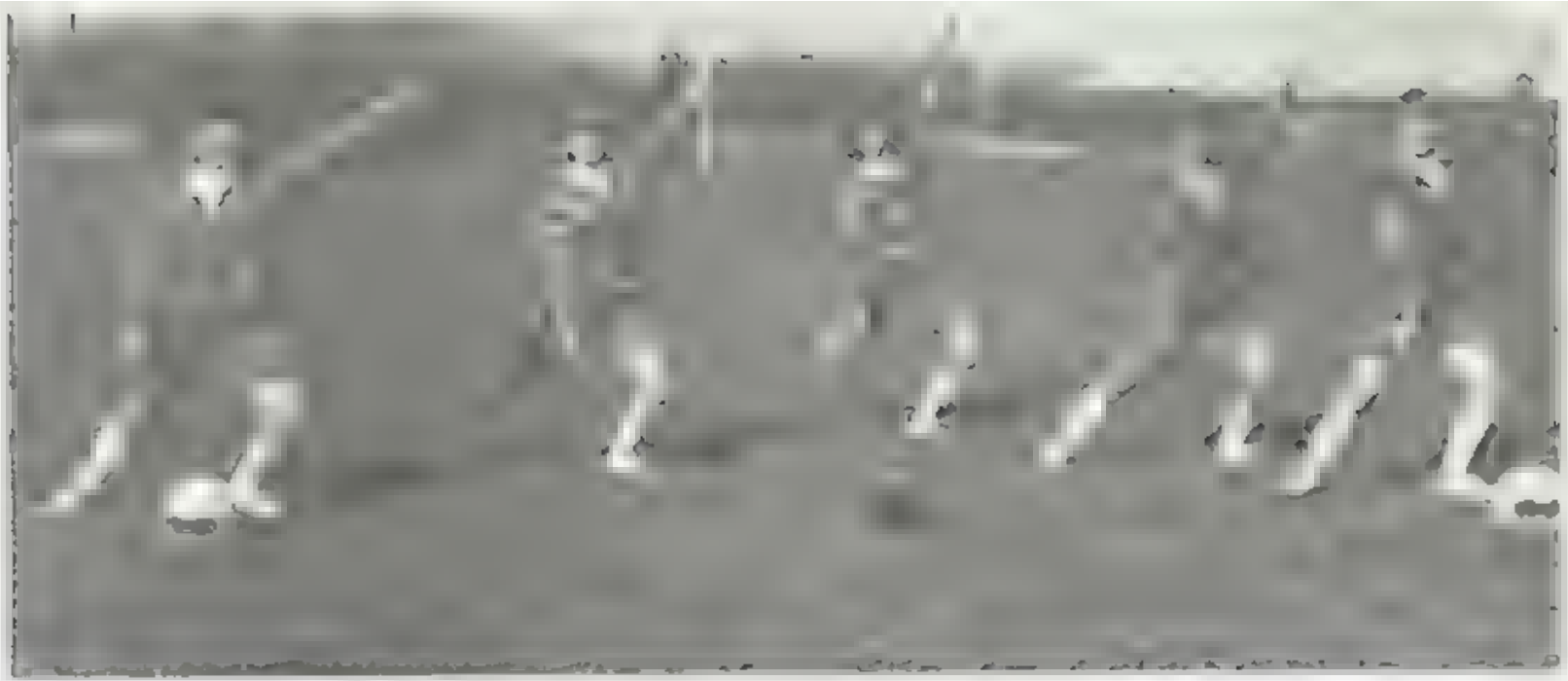
Max Stambaugh



Melvin Edmiston



Robert Bucher



## **VARSITY CHEERLEADERS**

Kathy Sebree, Carol Gift, Diana Burton, Connie Gregory, Marcia Stephens

### **Junior Varsity Cheerleaders**

The girls cheering our J. V. Basketball team on to victory are Connie Bair, Jan Curless, Patty France, Linda Powell, Cindy Warner, and Jeanie Waggoner. These girls have served as important supporters of a winning team.



— From left to right: Connie Bair, Jan Curless, Patty France, Jan Curless, and Linda Powell.

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## **VARSITY CHEERLEADERS**

(l-r) Diana Burton, Colleen Estes (Mascot), Marcia Stephens,



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**Varsity Basketball-**

First row: Coach Ron Madden, Wendell Ogden, Jack Janner, Steve Parry, Mark Sager, Jon Davis, Roy Parry, Ricky Blue, Coach Bill Estes. Second row:

Kenny Walters manager, Wendell Gift, Bill Pollitt, Bob Cassel, John Nickols, Quentin Wickert, Melvin Edmiston, manager, Bob Stambaugh, manager.

## **Varsity Basketball**

The Varsity had a very poor season this year, winning 3 and losing 18. The Pirates lacked the main factors of height and experience, with only four players that were six feet or over and only four lettermen. The starting five were: Roy Parry, Bill Pollitt, Wendell Ogden, Mark Sager, and Bob Cassel. Steve Parry and Wendell Jay Gift also saw much action.

The Pirates scored to total of 843 points to their opponents' 933. Mark Sager led the Pirates in scoring this year with 213 points. Bill Pollitt was next with 140 points. Following these two were: Roy Parry, 117 points; Bob Cassel, 115 points; Wendell Ogden, 109 points; Steve Parry, 67 points; and Wendell Gift, 42 points.



Steve L...



Jo Platt



Jack ...



Bill Pollitt



Ed ...



Bill ...



Walter ...



Tom ...



John ...

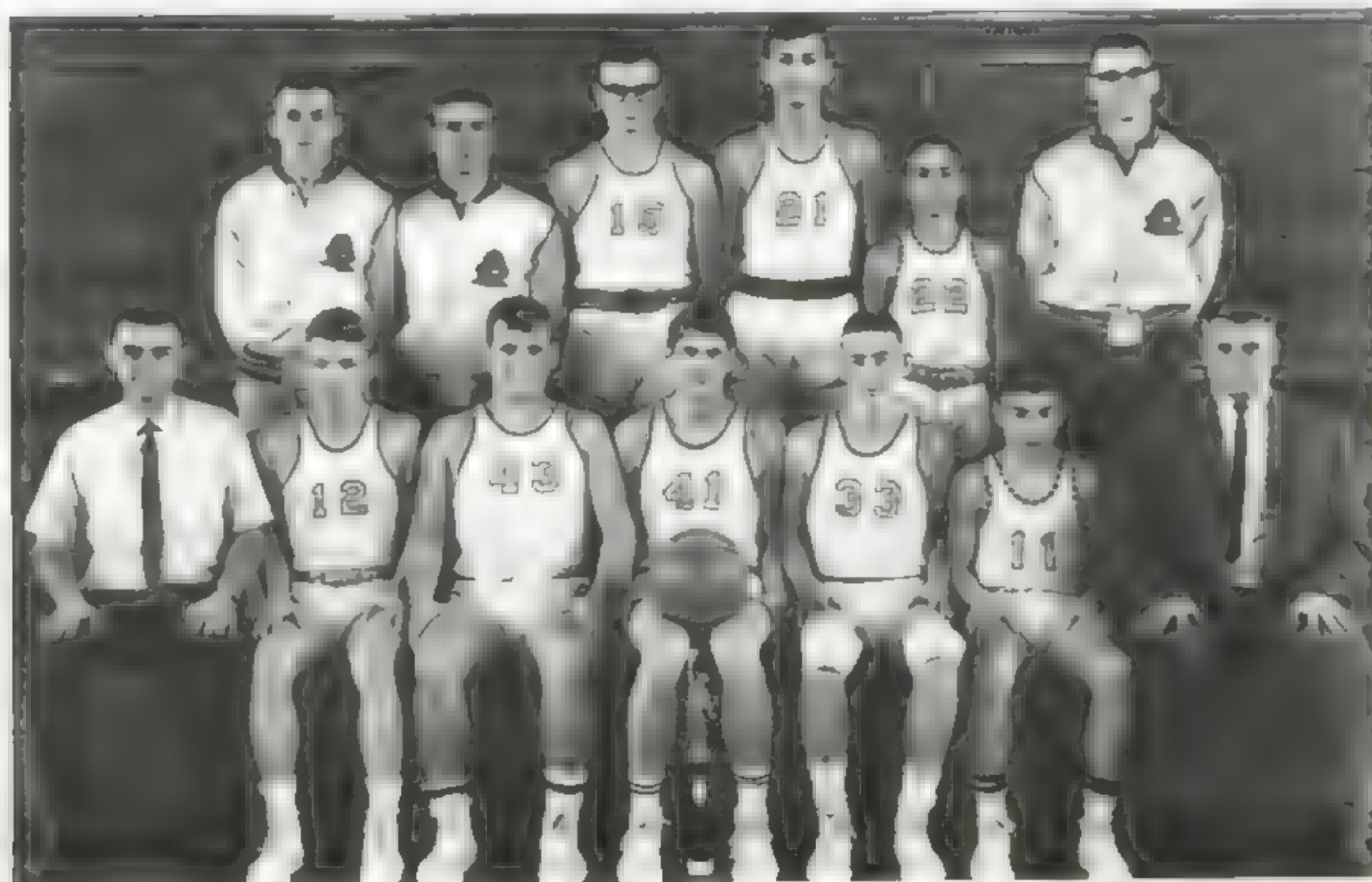


And ...



First row Coach Don Midden, Jeff Pennington, Woodell Ogden, Don Hays, Jack Sager, Jack Lane, Jack Lane, Coach Bill Estes. Second row Kevin

Viltus, Manager, Todd Ball, Jim Mason, Mike Joe, Manager, John W. Smith, Andy Lott, Marvin Edmiston, manager, Bob Lambaugh, manager.



First row Coach Don Midden, Keith Heir, Jeff Pennington, Sam Lott, Jim Cassel, Andy Lott, Coach Bill Estes. Second row Bob Stambaugh, manager,

Melvin Edmiston, manager, Don Venn, Malcolm Clark, Andy Lott, Kenny Walters, manager.





First row: Coach Ron Madden; John Werner; Clark Stein; Carl Cornn; Coach Estes. Second row: David Davis, Manager; Wendell Gift; Quentin Wickert; Phil Poppenhager; Doug Shaw; Melvin Edmiston; Ed Easley;

Bob Stambaugh, Manager. Third row: Kenny Walters, Manager; Steven Poppenhager; Marvin Westlake; Jack Danner; Terry Royer; Kenny Bannerton.

## TRACK

Last year our track team tied for third place in the County Track Meet. We also received third place in the Wilco Conference.

We are looking forward to a very fine track

season. We should win first place in the Fresh-Soph Wilco Conference. The Varsity should also do very well.

## SOPHOMORE BASKETBALL TEAM

This year's Junior Varsity team was composed of almost all sophomores. Wendell Jay Gift, Ricky Blue, Jon Davis, Jim Cassel, and Jack Danner saw most of the action. Bob Cassel, Mark Sager, and Wendell Ogden saw more Varsity action than J.V. but were handy when the team needed them. There were also several freshmen ready to help the team.

Our team won the Junior Varsity County Championship by defeating Lewistown. They also won the Astoria Sophomore Invitational. Most important was that they won the Junior Varsity Wilco Conference Championship, going undefeated to do so. The boys also have a very impressive 31-0 record. A team like this deserves a lot of support from its fans.

## FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM

The freshman squad won three games and lost two games in the 65-66 season. They beat Cuba, Lewistown and Avon. Cuba beat them out of the Valley Freshman Tournament and Lewistown beat them in regular

play. The starting five were Randy Foutch, Sam Parry, Jeff Poppenhager, Jim Cassel, and Keith Heier. The boys are looking forward to playing a full schedule of games next year as sophomores.

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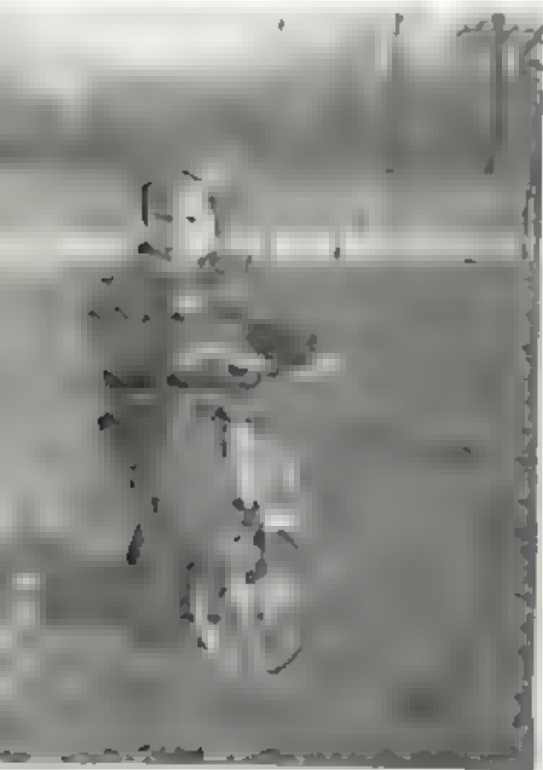
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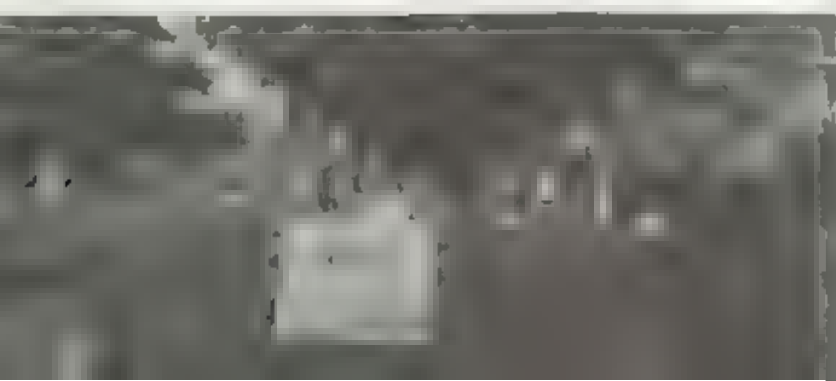
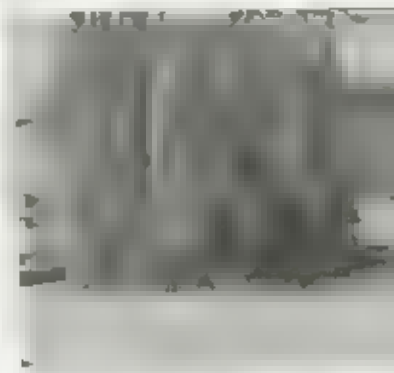
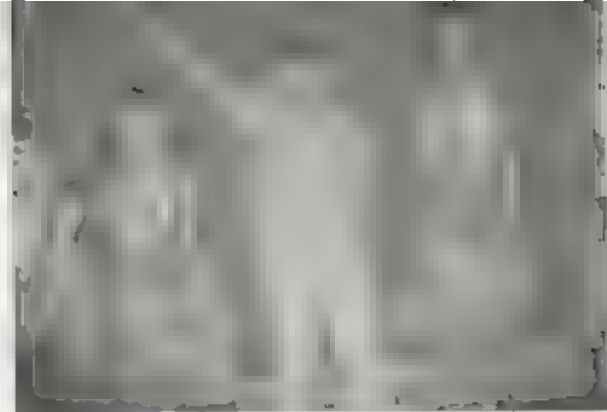
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Ginger,

We have always been the best of friends & hope our  
friendship will never end. You'll be the nicest girl I have  
ever known. I know you will make some young man very  
happy. You'll be very sweet and charming with a great personality.  
I hope next year you will take good care of this place because  
it needs it. You have what it takes to make it in the world.  
I want to wish you all the luck in the world throughout your life and  
may you live to be a thousand years old. Be good, Be careful, and  
take good care of yourself and may God bless you in your future  
years. I shall never forget the good times we have had throughout  
our days. Lots of luck to the sweetest girl ever

Love  
Ronnie

Ginger,  
Good luck and best wishes  
to a very nice girl. I hope  
you may always achieve your  
goals.

Love,  
Randy

Ginger,  
I wish you all  
the luck in the world.  
Remember all the good  
times we had during our  
Sophomore year. I hope our  
friendship grows in the  
coming year.

Love,  
Sherry

Dear Ginger,

I wish you  
good luck in the  
future whatever you  
do.

a friend,  
Robert Woodruff



Dear Ginger,

This year is almost over and we'll only have one more year after this. That really frightens me!! I hope we won't be separated by too many miles after graduation.

We've done a lot of stupid things together that I hope you'll remember. Always remember me as the kid who was smaller than you are!

Best luck to the end!!

Your outstanding,  
unbelievable, adorable,  
precious, quiet, reserved  
MOODY!! girl friend,

"Jones"





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